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EDMONTON, ALBERTA, MONDAY, JUNE 17TH, 1895.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

Winnipeg, June 17th.
British liberals have lost another seat.
An abundant cereal crop is promised in Russia.
The lake was visited by a blizzard of dust Saturday evening.
Cuban insurgents continue to burn villages and show revolting cruelty.
The Grays, alleged murderers of Scollie of Peterboro, have been arrested.
Manitoba's reply to the remedial order is well received by the Toronto dailies.
The body of a woman has been exhumed in Toronto. It is believed she was poisoned.
Montreal grand jury have failed to find a bill against St. Louis, the Curran bridge contractor.
The British ministry met with an adverse vote in supply and Lord Rosebery announced his intention of retiring.
An order-in-council has been passed allowing the law to take its course in the Hendershott and Welter murder case.
Montreal society is greatly excited by the elopement of an actor with the daughter of M. Beausoleil, alderman and member of parliament.
Farr, the C. P. R. engineer, who tried to cremate his wife and family, has been captured in Vancouver and will be brought to Winnipeg for trial.

REGINA, June 17th.

The appeal court has rendered decisions in the two Edmonton cases.
Humberstone vs. Dinner, appeal allowed with costs and \$500 damages. Taylor, Q. C., for Humberstone. Down for Dinner. Judge Rouleau had held that the Northwest legislature had no authority to pass the ferry ordinance and that the grant of the right to Humberstone was not valid without the passage of a by-law. He did not decide on the question of infringement. The full court decided that the Northwest assembly had a right to pass the ferry ordinance, that a town by-law was not necessary to give Humberstone a special privilege and that there was an infringement of his right by Dinner.
Wilkie vs. Jellett. Appeal allowed with costs. The execution was declared a cloud on the title. The registrar was ordered to cancel and remove from the register and the deputy sheriff enjoined from selling. Beck, Q. C., for appellant, Taylor, Q. C., for defendant.

LOCAL.

STRAWBERRIES are ripe.
Trains left Calgary on time.
Crops are looking excellent on Stony Plain.
SOUTH EDMONTON sports on Monday, July 1st.
JOHN ALLAN, the sprinter, went south on Friday's train.
REV. A. STUNDEN returned from Calgary on Thursday's train.
JAS. BELL left for Qu'Appelle on Tuesday's train of last week.
C. B. KEENLYSIDE preached in the Methodist church on Sunday.
A lot of fur was put up for bids last week, but was not sold and will be shipped. It was valued at about \$800.
PARRISH & LINDSAY shipped a car of oats to Vancouver on Friday's train.
REV. MR. MULDER, of South Edmonton, preached in the Presbyterian church on Sunday.
W. CODE, who has been chief of the Winnipeg fire brigade for many years, has been disposed by the council.
A. F. BRIDGEMAN & Co., shipped two cars of oats south on Friday's train, one to Vancouver and one to Nanaimo.
E. LYONS has a gold washing machine of new design at work on the river at Selkirk. It is worked by hand.
F. GRIFFIN, of Ladang, sends the BULLETIN a few sample stalks of barley of this season's growth, which are two feet in length.
Mrs. GRAMME, who has been visiting her son, J. E. Graham of the Hudson Bay store, returned home to Morley on Friday's train.
THURSDAY'S train brought north ten settlers from the United States. They were distributed at different points along the line.
W. B. OSBORNE, barrister of Innisfail, arrived on a business trip on Thursday's train. Mr. Osborne was for some time law partner of G. A. Watson formerly of Edmonton.
A. JOHNSON arrived from Calgary on Friday by train to take charge of the mechanical department of the Edmonton Herald. The office will be over John Cameron's store.
D. E. NOYES is down from the Jasper. He met Messrs. Purches, Wilkins and Anthony on his way down. They were making slow progress, but were getting there. They had lost two of their horses.
H. GOWLIN, J. MARGAN and Geo. OWEN left Saturday for the Athabasca on a gold prospecting trip. They go by way of Lac la Poudre and take with them a small boat, a grizzly, full camping outfit and provisions sufficient for four months.

THURSDAY'S train brought in 1 car of lumber from Vancouver for T. McKelvey, some grain mill machinery from Winnipeg for S. Lawrence, 1 car of lime from Kananaskis for K. A. McLeod, 1 car of lumber from Vancouver for F. A. Osborne, 1 car of groceries from Winnipeg for J. F. & G. Galt, and 2 way cars.
The Lacombe agricultural society has issued a prize list for the fall exhibition to be held on September 26th. The list is in pamphlet form and is accompanied by a large number of advertisements showing the business standing of the place. It is an excellent idea to get out the prize list thus far ahead of time so that people may have ample time to make up their minds as to what they will show and to prepare to show it. A prize list, that is rushed out at the last moment, does not give a fair chance for that competition which is the object of the show.

CALGARY races 19th, 20th and 21st of June.

FOOT SASKATCHEWAN sports on Friday, June 28th.

R. SECORD left for the Landing on Thursday.

J. WALSH purchased \$34 worth of fur since last issue.

J. E. GRAHAM had tomatoes in bloom in his garden on Thursday last.

Before Insp. Snyder, J. P., on Friday H. Woodward was charged with assault. Case adjourned.

W. ALEXANDER, Jas. Kennealy and P. Reilly left for the Athabasca to-day by way of Lac la Poudre to wash gold.

MESSES. ELLIS and Peterson arrived from Pelican rapids on the Athabasca on Wednesday last. They spent the winter at Pelican rapids, hunting and trapping.

The members of the Edmonton base ball club are requested to appear at practice to-night on the grounds without fail, as time is limited between now and the first match.

Before Insp. Snyder on Friday—Taylor and T. Cain were charged with creating a disturbance in the Alberta Hotel. Taylor was fined \$1.00 and costs and Cain was discharged.

The butter from the Edmonton creamery will be shipped to the coast on the next visit of the refrigerator car. The creamery is now making about 150 pounds a day, but this amount will shortly be doubled.

The picnic at the Edmonton creamery on Saturday last was not a success owing to the showery weather which kept many from attending. About thirty were present and were shown the operation of churning and working the butter.

R. ROBINSON and J. Hill, of Sprucedale settlement on the White Mud, were arrested in South Edmonton on Saturday charged with having set fire to R. Shaw's house in Sprucedale settlement some weeks ago. The case comes up before Insp. Snyder this afternoon at 2 p. m.

Ms. McNICOLL's "at home" was the event of Saturday afternoon. A large number attended, among whom were noticed Mr. and Mrs. Edmonson, Mr. and Mrs. Snyder, Dr. and Mrs. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Almon, Dr. and Mrs. Beck, Mrs. Hearn, Mrs. Jellett and others. The decorations were oriental.

S. J. DENNIS, chief inspector of surveys, came in on Thursday's train to look up survey matters in the district for the season. Survey operations will be very limited this year, confined chiefly to the survey of trails from Edmonton to Stony Plain, South Edmonton to Hay lakes and Fort Saskatchewan to Victoria.

The Winnipeg Commercial quotes creamery butter in Vancouver at 8c. to 10c. a pound. This applies to last year's and not to this season's make. John Cameron received a quotation from Vancouver by last mail, which places fresh creamery at 20c. with ten per cent. off for commission. At the same time old butter is unsaleable. Mr. Cameron's correspondent advises weekly shipments in 10, 20, and 30 lb. tubs.

A PARTY of four Indian and half-breed hunters from Peace river arrived on Sunday to purchase supplies. They are from the settlement around Bricks' mission and a set of double harness and a plow are included in their purchases. There was a good fur hunt in the Peace river last winter. The past spring was very early and dry up to the time they left, consequently crops are not looking very well. They were twelve days coming out and return to-morrow. This is their first visit to Edmonton. They did not bring any fur with them having sold to J. H. Picard at Slave lake and to C. Johnstone at the Landing.

The contracts for the Brackman & Ker oatmeal mill and elevator in South Edmonton have been let as follows: Oatmeal mill and engine house of solid brick to K. A. McLeod, who supplies everything. J. J. Duggan will supply the B. C. lumber required in the elevator and Walter & Humberstone the native lumber. Ross Bros. will supply the hardware for the elevator and the work will be done under the charge of C. Lambert. The walls of the mill will be 20 inches thick in the lower story, or two and a half bricks, two in the second story and a brick and a half in the third. The elevator walls will be crib work of 2x6 plank in the lower half and 2x4 in the upper half. The railroad siding to the mill will be completed on Tuesday, the track being laid by J. Teffer, roadmaster on the C. & E. The siding is about 600 feet long.

I. O. F.

Through the courtesy of Bro. Robt. Hockley, court deputy of court Edmonton, we received the following interesting facts concerning the Independent Order of Foresters:

During the month of May the number of applications for membership received by the medical board was 4,022, of whom 3,611 were accepted, showing an advance of over 500 on the highest number of applications received in any one month.

The surplus fund of the order on the 1st of June showed the high total of \$1,317,000.

On the 30th of May the corner stone of the "foresters' temple" was laid by His Excellency the Earl of Aberdeen, governor general of Canada, in the presence of an immense concourse of foresters and their friends.

The temple will be eight stories high and will be the finest fraternal headquarters on the continent.

The forester year closes on the 30th of June, and in every particular it will be the most prosperous year in the history of the order.

The increase in the surplus has been \$360,000.00, and in the membership about 18,000.

For the month of June it is expected that at least 5,000 applications will be received.

During the year new courts have averaged 35 per month.

The supreme court will meet at St. Martin's Town Hall, Trafalgar Square, London, England, on the 1st day of August.

The high court of Ontario will meet at London, Ontario, on the 8th of October.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

STRAYED.
From Fort Saskatchewan two mares, bay, 13 and 12 years old, branded J-C on left hip. Any information leading to the recovery of these animals will be rewarded by applying to F. F. TIMS, Fort Saskatchewan. 66-71

FOR SERVICE.
Thoroughbred Jersey Bull (pedigreed) also Thoroughbred Tamworth Boar (pedigreed) for service. THOS. HENDERSON, Rabbit Hill. 66-71

LOST.
A pocket book containing letters and valuable papers also four or five dollars in 25c. paper bills. Five dollars reward to any one returning same to Alberta hotel. 66-71

Grand Concert!

Vocal and Instrumental

By the Misses Andrews and friends in aid of the building fund of All Saints' church, in Robertson Hall, Edmonton, on

TUESDAY, JUNE 25TH, 1895, AT 8 P. M.

Tickets for sale at F. H. Andrews' stationery store. Admission 25c. Reserved Seats, 50c. Gallery, 75c.

Sabbath School

CONVENTION.

The Northern Alberta Sunday School Union, organized last year at a gathering of workers at Lacombe, will meet in convention at Red Deer during the first week of July. As, according to the constitution, all ministers of the gospel and two delegates from each Sabbath School in the district, belonging to any evangelical denomination, are members of this Union, all such Sabbath schools are requested to send delegates, and, by early mail, notify the Secretary of such intention, at the same time giving as full a report as possible as to number of officers, teachers and scholars, help, magazines, etc., used, number of volumes in library, etc., etc.

GEO. A. REID, Secretary, Lacombe, Alberta.

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Terms: cash.

TURNBULL & McADAM, Auctioneers.

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MORTGAGE SALE

OF VALUABLE

Town Property!

Under and by virtue of a certain memorandum of mortgage made in pursuance of the "Territorial Real Property Act" and amendments thereto, which mortgage will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction on

SATURDAY, JUNE 15TH, 1895,

At 2 p. m. on the premises, in the Town of Edmonton, the following property:

That portion of Block "A," River Lot 6, in the Town of Edmonton, 50 x 100 feet, being the house and premises lately occupied by W. G. Johnston, and described in Certificate of ownership 41-11, issued out of the Land Titles Office of the North Alberta Land Registration District.

Terms: 25 per cent. at the time of sale, balance within 30 days, at which time possession will be given.

W. S. ROBERTSON, C. M. WOODWORTH, Auctioneer. Vendor's Advocate.

ADJOURNMENT.

The above sale has been postponed to Friday, June 21st, at 3 p. m., at same place.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, JUNE 17th, 1895.

STATUTE LABOR.

The formation of so many statute labor districts in the Edmonton country shows that the people are fully alive to the necessity of doing something to help themselves in the matter of opening up the road allowances of the country and improving the roads. The physical features of the district are such and the increase of settlement has been so rapid that it is impossible for the funds available for this part of the country from the Northwest government to meet or to nearly meet present pressing necessities. The action of the people therefore is opportune and is deserving of every encouragement at the hands of those in authority. The ordinance, however, under which the districts are organized for the purpose of enforcing statute labor is so far very much an experiment. It has not been put in existence long enough or been put in operation often enough to test its suitability to do the work which it was intended to do. The principle upon which the ordinance is based is that roads are a necessity to the farmers of the country and that every man who owns a farm is benefitted by an improvement in the roads and therefore should assist in making such improvement. This is a universal principle and it is a weakness of the ordinance that it does not apply it universally. The roads within a township are not the property of that township or only for the use of that township. They belong to and are for the use of the whole country. If every township kept up its own roads, then each would have benefit of the work done by its neighbors as well as itself and the burden would be equally divided. But every township does not keep up its own roads. Only some are organized into statute labor districts while others are not, and those that are, are working for the benefit of those that are not as well as for their own benefit. This is not fair and is likely to produce dissatisfaction with the ordinance. The remedy for this unfairness would be for the Northwest assembly to look the matter boldly in the face and make statute labor compulsory, either throughout the whole territories or at least throughout those parts where road work is most necessary. The settlers who are enterprising enough to form themselves into statute labor districts should be backed up by being protected from doing work for the benefit of others who will not help. Another feature of the case is that owing to the loose organization of the statute labor districts they may find some difficulty in collecting commutation money from non-resident land holders. Municipal and school corporations find that difficulty and they have a much more elaborate and expensive organization than a statute labor district. Indeed it is this very expense that the statute labor district is intended to avoid. The only way to collect taxes quickly and successfully from objecting non-residents, yet not increase the expense of management of the statute labor districts, is for the Northwest government to undertake the responsibility of collecting the tax. As soon as the owner, whether resident or non-resident, knows that he must pay he will pay without delay or costs to himself, but if he thinks he can get out of paying he is very apt to try to do so. The government could therefore collect very much more cheaply, because more certainly, than the district. Instead of the tax being levied in labor to be commuted in money, let it be levied in money to be commuted by labor at the option of the settler, and the tax money of each township to be handed over to the road overseer for that township as at present. The overseer has enough to do at present in laying out work and seeing that the work is done without hunting up tax delinquents and instituting legal proceed-

ings against them. When a large proportion of the people are willing to help themselves, those who are willing should not be allowed to be placed at any disadvantage as compared with those who are not willing.

FOREST FIRES.

[Winnipeg Tribune.]

There is a Chinese proverb something to this effect: "The sources of the rivers may be found in the spires of the pine tree."

There can be no question that the great pine family, clothing rocks and rugged slopes and stony ridges, encircling with a dense growth muskeg and swamp, is a great reservoir of moisture. This fact has been forcibly brought to my mind by a mental contrast of a journey taken by me in 1884 between Edmonton and the Athabasca Landing and the condition of the country then and now.

In May, 1894, after crossing the Sturgeon river north of Edmonton, the road was through a heavily wooded country, chiefly consisting of spruce, pine and tamarac. So much was this the case that we had on several occasions to use the axe to cut away fallen trees obstructing the road.

The weather was warm and sunny, but frequent showers. The noise of running water was constantly heard, as small streams of ice-cold water crossed the road. The road was heavy, and there was a superfluous abundance of mud holes, flies abounded, especially a small black fly. They took a cheerful and business like view of matters and did not fail to utilize the passing opportunity, otherwise the journey was more pleasant.

I have just traversed the same road (May, 1895). A few miles beyond the Sturgeon we were traversing a country that has been burnt again and again. The charred remains of huge spruce trees are visible on every side. A scant growth of poplar and birch, most of it scorched by recent fires had taken the place of the dense growth that formerly clothed hills and valley. The air was dry, hot and sultry, the creeks that used to run at this time of year a full, foaming stream, are already low and sluggish, if not dried up. The further we advanced, the more burnt and blackened it became. Nor was the burnt area confined to the neighborhood of the trail. As we reached the ridge of the country, far to the right and to the left, huge clouds of smoke indicated the existence of at least six or eight distinct fires. The whole country seems to be on fire. Only to-day while awaiting an opportunity to proceed north, a summons came for the mounted police, two members of which are stationed here, to help to fight the fire that is creeping down to the Landing. Both yesterday and to-day the sun has been entirely obscured by smoke. After 11 years residence in this part of the country I have never realized so much as now that unless some active steps are taken the whole country is doomed to become a treeless land.

Nearly every year I am travelling over a wide extent of country reaching from the 55th to the 59th N. latitude, and drained by the Athabasca and Peace rivers. Fires are constantly recurring over this large area. The crews of boats engaged in the fur trade let the fire run. Sometimes the Indians themselves are careless and start fires while travelling and the result is that where there should be vast tracts of good heavy timber there are now but blackened remains. Should fires continue at the same rate as they are doing now this vast tract of country lying between the Saskatchewan to the south and Hay river towards the north, reaching from the Rocky mountains in the west to the country north of Prince Albert must be soon a great treeless waste.

Now apart from the marketable value of the timber, and the effect it must have on the fur bearing animals, it does seem to me that in the interests of the country generally such a state of things is to be deplored.

I have no books of reference accessible here and cannot therefore quote scientific authorities, but I think I am right in saying that there is an intimate connection between trees and rain. A heavily wooded country especially when its hills and ridges are clothed with pine seems to attract and draw the rain.

I cannot but think that this vast tract of country north of the Saskatchewan, clothed with dense woods attracts the clouds from the Pacific slope and becomes a conductor of moisture, not selfishly confined to its own hills and valleys but communicating the much needed rain to the comparatively treeless plains south of the Saskatchewan, from the Rocky mountains in the west to Winnipeg in the east; in fact that whole area of country which is now forming the great arena of settlement.

I started from Winnipeg early this month. The season has been unusually early. A longling along the route was for rain. A heavy shower rejoiced a wide section traversed by the C. P. R., but it was more the hope it rained than the actual result.

At Regina I was told that in that section of country they have suffered from drought from the first two years and that many settlers had left and others were much discouraged. At present there is too much appearance of yet another year of drought. It seems under these circumstances that everything should be done to prevent the great Northwest becoming a dry hot waste so subject to drought and cyclones like parts of Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska and Dakota. Prevention is better than cure. It would seem to be wiser to try and conserve advantages we do possess than after letting them be destroyed seeking to replace them by the costly work of irrigation or the slow and ineffective work of tree planting. Such a remedy may be practicable in a little country like Switzerland, but in this vast territory man's mightiest efforts would be puny and utterly insufficient.

There are two main sources from which fires spring in the country north of the Saskatchewan. The chief source is along the main routes of travel for traders and missionaries. An active patrol of these routes during the open seasons especially during the dry hot seasons and the firm enforcement of fines for letting fire run would at least do much to check, if it could not entirely prevent the evil. The other source is from the carelessness of Indians and trappers. Still, I think, if the Indians were given to understand that in their own interests the government were determined to repress fires, and that if they let fires run they were in danger of falling

into the hands of the soldiers, and undergoing an enforced residence of a few months at Fort Saskatchewan or other police stations, away from their wives and families, I think that it would do good. Another cause is burning out hay swamps when the snow is off.

At present a recklessness about fires seems generally prevalent. The idea that is uppermost in the mind of the ordinary freighters and travellers generally, in the north, that woods are a nuisance, rendering roads bad and travelling difficult, seems to have permeated our scant population. Trees are not only in their sight of no value, but rather something it is as well to get rid of. There are then, these large tracts of country north of the Saskatchewan, ranges of hills, sandy ridges and valleys, all clothed by nature with a dense growth of the pine family. Lands that can never be available for farming purposes, whose only value can be as timber lands, and I think I may say, as not only reservoirs of moisture, but as rain conductors for the country generally.

One cannot but think that this is one main purpose in their natural condition by an all-wise Providence; and surely the wise adjustment and proportion thus established cannot be recklessly broken up and destroyed without great loss to the climate, and so to the capabilities of the whole country.

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MORTGAGE SALE

OF VALUABLE

TOWN PROPERTY

Pursuant to the order and direction of the Hon-
orable Mr. Justice Rouleau, and under and by virtue
of a certain registered mortgage made in pursuance
of the Territories Real Property Act and amend-
ments thereto, which mortgage will be produced at
the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by
public auction on Saturday, the 29th day of June,
1895, at the Robertson Hall in the Town of Ed-
monton, at the hour of 2 p. m. the following property,
viz.:

All and singular Lot thirty-eight, (38) in Block
number two (2) according to a plan of a sub-division
of River Lots twelve (12) and fourteen (14) of the
Settlement of Edmonton, of record in the Land
Titles Office for the North Alberta Land Registration
District as Plan "D."

The above property is situate on the north side of
Jasper Avenue, in the Town of Edmonton, nearly
opposite the Robertson Hall, which may be better
known as the residence of Duncan C. Robertson.

Terms and conditions of sale will be made known
at the date of sale, or on application to

W. S. ROBERTSON, Auctioneer. BECK & EMERY,
Vendor's Solicitors. 62-69

NOTICE

North-West Territories, }

To Wit:

In the matter of the Land Titles Act, 1894, and in
the matter of that certain registered mortgage
made by Jules Auguste Roy to the Dominion
Building and Loan Association on the following
lands namely:

Lots numbers seventy (70) and seventy-one (71) in
block numbered five (5), according to a plan of part
of the Hudson's Bay Company's Reserve at Edmon-
ton, of record in the Land Titles Office for the
North Alberta Land Registration District as Plan
"B."

Upon hearing the application of the mortgagees
for foreclosure herein, and upon reading the affidavits
and papers filed therewith, and satisfactory proof of
service of notice of application on the mortgagor
having been made,

I do order that notice be published once a week
for three successive weeks in the Edmonton
"BULLETIN," a newspaper published at the Town of
Edmonton, in the said district, offering the said
land for sale, and that after the expiration of one
month from the date of the last publication of the
said notice, the said mortgages shall be a liberty
to make an application for absolute order of fore-
closure of all the estate, right, title, interest and
equity of redemption of the mortgagor of, in and to
the said lands and every part thereof, pursuant to
the provisions of Section 75 of the said Land Titles
Act, 1894.

Edmonton, 27th May, 1895.

(Signed) CHAS. B. ROULEAU,

J. S. C.

Pursuant to the above order, and subject to the
terms thereof, the above mentioned lands are hereby
offered for sale. For further particulars apply to

BECK & EMERY,
Advocates for Mortgagees 62-69

NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF SALE OF LAND UNDER

"THE LAND TITLES ACT, 1894"

In the matter of a real estate mortgage given by H.
De Roux and H. Chevrier Reggion to John Norris
on the 1st day of June, 1890, and entered and
registered as 2254 H. on the 25th day of Septem-
ber, in the Land Titles Office of the North Alberta
Land Registration District.

Pursuant to the order of Mr. Justice Rouleau,
notice is hereby given that all the undementioned
lands are offered for sale, viz.:

The fractional north-east quarter of Section
numbered seven (7), the whole of Section numbered
eighteen (18), and the whole of Section numbered
twenty (20), all in Township fifty (50), Range twenty-
four (24) west of the fourth meridian, in the Provin-
cial District of Alberta, in the Northwest
Territories, containing by admeasurement together
fourteen hundred and thirty-one acres (1431) more or
less. This is the property known as the Norris
Ranch, situate at Black Mud, on the C. & N. Rail-
way.

And notice is hereby further given that if the said
lands or any of them still remain unsold at that
date, John Norris, the mortgagee thereof, will apply
to the presiding Judge in Chambers on Wednesday,
the 17th day of July, 1895, for an Absolute Order of
Foreclosure of the lands above mentioned.

Dated this 30th day of May, 1895.

S. S. & H. C. TAYLOR,

Advocates for said John Norris. 61-66

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PLOWING MATCH.

The plowing match held on Friday of last week at John McPherson's farm, Spruce Grove post office, Stony Plain, was well attended by farmers of the surrounding settlement. There were eight competitors, each of whom plowed half an acre. The plowing was on stubble and was completed at six o'clock. M. McCauley, of Edmonton; R. Dinwoodie, of East Edmonton, and G. Lacroix, of Spruce Grove, were the judges. The first prize was given to Mr. Hoedel, senior, and the second to Daniel Brox. After the match an excellent tea provided by Mr. and Mrs. McPherson was served in the house, at which some forty persons sat down.

After tea a meeting on the question of supplying cream to the Edmonton creamery was held, of which Mr. McPherson was chairman. The meeting was addressed by Messrs. R. Dinwoodie and M. McCauley as representatives of the creamery, and by Mr. Brox who had considerable experience with creameries in Ontario. Several persons present agreed to supply cream, and a meeting will be held at J. L. Macdonald's, Stony Plain post office, on Monday at 4 o'clock to see if enough additional cows can be secured to warrant the establishment of a collecting route on the plain. After the creamery meeting an informal concert followed at which a number of songs were sung, and a dance followed the concert, which was kept up until daylight on Saturday morning. Over thirty ladies took part in the dance. The music was furnished by Mr. McMillan, of Stony Plain. A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. and Mrs. McPherson for their hospitality.

GENERAL NEWS.

Passengers are now allowed to travel on freight trains on the C. P. R. main line and branches between Fort William and Moose Jaw.

The Battleford Herald reports wild strawberries ripe, and that there will be a good crop of all kinds of berries in that district.

Twelve tramps forced a ride on a C. P. R. train from Rat Portage towards Winnipeg. Three remained on until reaching the Louise bridge, where they were arrested.

The first summer excursion from Toronto by the C. P. R. for the Northwest will leave on the 25th of this month. Two others will leave on July 9th and July 23rd.

The average amount at the credit of each depositor in the Postoffice Savings banks at the end of the sixth fiscal year was \$215; the total sum of deposits, \$45,257,968, and the number of depositors 45,060.

The Minister of Mines for British Columbia reports 844 whites and 786 Chinese and Japanese employed in the placer diggings of the province, and the total yield \$393,942 of gold and \$8,500 of silver. The average earning per man was \$283.

A special dispatch to London from Shanghai says that it is almost certain that a massacre of all the persons connected with the English, French and American missions at Cheng Tu has occurred. Neither men, women or children have been spared, according to report. It is admitted that telegrams have been intercepted by the government, the object being to conceal the news of the massacre. A French gun boat is en route to Wue Chang to investigate the report.

Commercial, June 15: The weather has averaged cool this week, with plenty of rain and much overclouded sky. This is favorable for producing a strong root growth, without forcing too rank a growth of straw. There were light showers here on Sunday, a heavy and prolonged rain on Monday evening and night, lasting about all night, and a few sprinkles on Thursday. Last night was very cool and cloudy with a little rain here. Crop reports from all parts of the country are very satisfactory, reporting the crops two or three weeks in advance of the usual condition at this date, and abundance of rain and a strong, healthy growth. Reports from every station on the lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway in Manitoba and the Territories were received by Supt. Whyte on Monday, and there is nothing unfavorable in any of them. They nearly all state that the outlook was never better at this time of year.

Free Press: There arrived at the C. P. R. stock yards Saturday night five car loads of horses, comprising 90 animals, in transit from Calgary to Belgrade. These horses are all hackneys, with the exception of twenty-one thoroughbreds and half-breds, and they are as fine a lot of equines as a fancier could wish to see. The hackneys are well and uniformly developed in frame, strong limbed, perfectly hooded, and without a blemish of any kind, in fact, were it not for the brand marks, it would be hard to believe that they were bred on a range. Many of the hackneys show the line from and carriage of their noted sires, Sam Weiler and President Garfield, and some really handsome teams can be selected from the lot. Of the thoroughbreds and half-breds, one cannot speak in terms less complimentary than of the hackneys. They are clean-limbed, and have a stylish carriage, show little trace of their common ancestral stock on the material side.

Battleford Herald: Dr. Selwyn, chief of the Dominion geological survey, has received from a survey party working near the head waters of the Saskatchewan, word of finding valuable alluvial gold in a minor stream tributary to the river. "For the past two years Indians have been washing gold out of the river sand, and the chief of surveys, D. R. McTavish, has sent word to Comptroller White, of the Canadian mounted police, to prohibit any more gold working until government action has been taken. The government are aware that it will be most ill-advised on the part of Comptroller White or any other person to interfere with the washing of the sand bars on the Saskatchewan. Regulations governing gold or other metals are all right where the mineral is a future on land; not mined by one man the metal will still be there. But in the case of the sandbars it is different. The gold is brought down by the current and deposited; if not gathered where it catches, the next rise in the river carries it away and it is lost to everyone. River mining is precarious, owing to the frequent interruptions from high water and other causes. Every dollar washed out is a direct addition to the wealth of the country, and instead of being hampered by "government action" the miners deserve whatever consideration can be extended to them. We therefore hope neither Mr. White nor any other person will attempt to prohibit the washing of gold from the sandbars.

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One hundred yards race.
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1 mile race.
Long jump, (running).
Hop, step and jump, (running).
Hurdle race, 120 yards.
Putting 14 lbs. shot.
Mile handicap, bicycle race.
1 mile open bicycle race.
Boys race under 14 years.
Girls race under 14 years.
100 yard novelty race.
Fat man race, 100 yards, over 200 lbs.
Tug of war, South Edmonton vs. all comers.
Baseball match at 10:30 sharp.

HORSE RACES.

1 mile running race, open. 2 in 3.
Pony race 14½ hands or under, ½ mile. 2 in 3.
3 minute trot, 1 mile. 2 in 3.
Green trot, mile heats. 2 in 3.
½ mile pony trot, 14½ hands and under. 2 in 3.
Slow race, change riders, last horse to win.
Indian pony race. Indian riders in costume.
Green novelty race, ½, 1 and 1 mile.

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NOTICE.

Northwest Territories)
To Wit:

In the matter of the Land Titles Act, 1894, and in the matter of that certain registered mortgage made by George A. Hall to the Dominion Building and Loan Association on the following lands, namely:

Lot 24, block 11, river lot 12, in the Town of Edmonton, Plan "D."

Upon hearing the application of the mortgagees for foreclosure herein, and upon reading the affidavits and papers filed therewith, and satisfactory proof of service of notice of such application on the mortgagor having been made,

I do order that notice be published once a week for three consecutive weeks in the Edmonton Bulletin, a newspaper published in the Town of Edmonton, in the said district, offering said lands for sale, and that after the expiration of one month from the date of the last publication of the said notice, the said mortgagees shall be at liberty to make application for absolute order of foreclosure of all the right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the mortgagor, of, in and to the said lands, and every part thereof, pursuant to the provisions of Section 75 of the said Land Titles Act, 1894.

Edmonton, 21st May, 1895.

(Signed) CHAS. B. ROULEAU,

J. S. C.

Pursuant to the above order, and subject to the terms thereof, the above mentioned lands are hereby offered for sale. For further particulars apply to BECK & EMERY, Advocates for Mortgagees.



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FROM THE BARREN GROUNDS.

Casper W. Whitney, commissioner to the Barren Grounds for Harper's magazine, returned on Wednesday of last week from his northern trip, safe and sound and went on to New York on Friday's train. Mr. Whitney claims to have reached a higher northern latitude than any other traveller of recent years in that part of the continent. Messrs. Whitney and Heming started north from Edmonton for Fort Resolution in December by way of Lac la Biche, Fort McMurray, Chipewyan and Fort Smith. Teams were taken to Lac la Biche, over 120 miles, by dog trains, from there Messrs. Whitney and Heming drove their own dogs and the latter concluded to give up the trip before reaching Fort McMurray and took the first opportunity that occurred to return to Edmonton and go east to his home in Hamilton, Ont. Mr. Whitney pressed on and reached Fort Resolution at the entrance of the Great Slave river—a link in the chain which makes up the Mackenzie—where it enters Great Slave lake. This post is a good many days journey short of the limits of the Barren Grounds, the range of the musk ox, without a sight of which the expedition would have fallen short of its object. It took a great deal of negotiation, money and time to induce an adequate party of Indians to start for the Barren Grounds in February with Mr. Whitney. He engaged an interpreter, who at the last moment backed out and left Mr. Whitney to face a particularly hard and dangerous trip without knowing a single word of the language of the Indians upon whom the success of his visit and his very life depended. However, having come so far he was determined not to be balked and finally started out with a party of Indians driving six dog trains. The Indians trading at Resolution are the Dog Ribs from the far north and the Yellow Knives who occupy the country around and east of Resolution. These latter have been the guides of travellers of recent years, but Mr. Whitney's party were Dog Ribs, under the leadership of a very reliable chief with a very difficult name. The route of travel lay from Resolution across Great Slave lake and still northward passing to the east of Fort Rae without seeing it, and going twelve days travel beyond the last wood into the true Barren Grounds, which took the party some distance inside the Arctic circle. On the way Mr. Whitney saw four small bands of the musk ox and shot six, bulls, the heads of which he was successful in getting back to Resolution, having taken an extra dog train for the purpose. The true Barren Grounds are a level, almost, sharply undulating country with a great deal of irregular rock showing on the ridges, a region without a redeeming feature of appearance, resource or climate, and yet where an animal of the cow kind can support life. There are several kinds of moss growing on the rocks of this region and on the ground and this moss is the food of the musk ox. There is always enough of the rocks bare of moss to carry sufficient moss for their winter support. They are very wild, but are easily brought to bay with dogs, which they evidently take for wolves, and maul themselves in solid bodies to resist. They then fall an easy prey to the hunters. The weather on the Barren Grounds Mr. Whitney describes as simply terrible. A high wind all the time packing the snow hard, accompanied by the most intense cold ranging from 40 to 70 degrees below zero. April is the season during which the Indians generally go to the Barren Grounds to hunt the musk ox, when the weather has moderated somewhat and there is a certainty of a let up sometime. To go in February is very unusual and hence Mr. Whitney's difficulty in securing a party. After his return he decided that the interpreter he had engaged and who had backed out of going, had shown a commendable discretion. The horrors of a trip day after day through the bitter wind and cold, with no shelter and no wood that could make fire at which a man could warm himself, never getting even moderately warm either day or night or getting a warm well cooked meal, with the danger of actual starvation always at hand, may be imagined but would have to be felt to be thoroughly understood. The only fire the party used during their trip of 24 days on the true Barren Grounds was made from wood carried on the dogs' sleds, just enough to boil the kettle and warm the fingers, but never enough to warm the bodies of the travellers. The round trip from Fort Resolution occupied something over 50 days, so that Mr. Whitney got back in April, recrossing Great Slave lake on solid ice. His intention was to come up the Slave river on the ice to Fort Smith but the river was becoming unsafe for travel with dogs and he did not wish to wait for snow. So he travelled from Fort Resolution westward along the shore of the lake to the mouth of Buffalo river which heads some distance west of Fort Smith and flows parallel to the Slave river. This river was open when he reached it with his Indian guides and they paddled and portaged up until they reached the portage across to Fort Smith on Slave river. When they reached Fort Smith the Slave river was open and canoe was taken to Chipewyan on lake Athabasca. Mr. Whitney came to the Grand rapids with the boat crew sent up from Chipewyan to work from Fort McMurray to the head of Grand rapids. From Grand rapids to the Landing he came on the H. B. steamer Athabasca, and from the Landing to Edmonton he team. Mr. Whitney has concluded successfully a most remarkable and dangerous trip, which required courage, endurance and energy of no ordinary degree. The Harper's are to be congratulated on having such a man in their employ. Mr. Whitney's account of his experience to appear in their publications will be well worth perusal and will be particularly interesting to Canadians.

BIRTHS.
McDONALD—At Edmonton on May 28th, the wife of Alex. McDonald of a daughter.

The department of marine at Ottawa has received a return of the spring sealing catch along the British Columbia coast. The total catch this year was 5,308 seals, less than half the number taken last year. Advertisers from the fleet operating in Japanese waters are to the effect that the catch has also been very light owing to the prevalence of bad weather.

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Executors' Sale!

Having received instructions from John Brown, Esq., executor of the estate of the deceased James Reid, to sell at public auction the whole of his personal effects, consisting of the following goods, viz:

- 1 bay mare, 1 buckboard,
- 1 black horse (aged), 1 breaking plow,
- 1 bay colt, 4 yrs. old, 1 stubble plow,
- 1 bay colt, 2 yrs. old, 1 sett of harrows,
- 1 bay colt, 1 yr. old, 1 mower,
- 5 cows, 1 rake,
- 1 heifer, 1 cook stove,
- 1 heavy wagon, 1 silver watch,
- 1 sett double harness, 1 agricultural kettle,
- 1 sett single harness, 1 breech-loading rifle.

1 breech-loading shot gun,
a lot of household furniture, bedding, etc., and other articles too numerous to mention.

The above sale will take place at deceased's late residence, river lot 26, Fort Saskatchewan, at 1 o'clock p. m., sharp, Saturday, the 22nd June, 1895.

Terms cash. **W. S. ROBERTSON,**
Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE

OF VALUABLE

TOWN PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of a certain memorandum of mortgage made in pursuance of the Territories Real Property Act and amendments thereto, which mortgage was produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction on Friday, the 21st day of June, 1895, at 2 p. m. at Robertson Hall, in the Town of Edmonton, the following property:

Lot lettered "G" according to a plan of part of River lot number ten of the Edmonton Settlement, as recorded in the Land Titles Office for the North Alberta Land Registration District of "A," also Lot number 29, 40 and 17 in Block number 3 in River lot 12 of the Edmonton Settlement according to a plan of River lots 12 and 14, of record in the Land Titles Office aforesaid, and marked "Plan D."

There is situated upon lots number 39 and 40 a story and a half frame building known as the residence of J. G. Looby. There is situated upon Lot lettered "G" a small building.

Terms and conditions of sale will be made known at the time of sale or on application to

W. S. ROBERTSON, P. L. McNAMARA,
Auctioneer. Vendors' Solicitor.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES, NORTHERN ALBERTA JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the real and personal estate of James Reid (deceased).

On application of John Brown, the executor of the last will and testament of James Reid (deceased) and upon reading the affidavit of Sidney Stockton Taylor, I do order

(1) That all persons and creditors having any claim against the estate of the deceased file the same with S. S. H. C. Taylor, of Edmonton, aforesaid, advocates for the said John Brown, as executor, aforesaid, within four weeks from the publication of this notice in the Edmonton Bulletin, a newspaper printed and published at Edmonton semi-weekly, accompanied with a statutory declaration verifying the same.

(2) That this order shall be published in the said newspaper twice in each week for four consecutive weeks and that a sufficient notice to all persons, that at the expiration of the time first above said, said John Brown shall be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only as to which the said John Brown has then notice, and that he shall not be liable for the estate or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim the said John Brown shall not have had notice at the time of the distribution of the estate or any part thereof as aforesaid.

Dated at Chambers at Regina, this 7th day of June, A. D. 1895.

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Secretary Board of Trustees Saskatchewan R. C. public school district.

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J. S. McDONALD, Secretary.
Duhamel P. O.

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From Edmonton on May 23rd a bay horse branded "5" on left shoulder; four shoes on; badly caulked on front feet; tip of left ear bent forward; would weigh about 1,000 pounds. A suitable reward will be paid to any person who will give information as to his whereabouts.

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Notice is hereby given that the above lands will be offered for sale for school taxes on Thursday, June 20th, at one o'clock p. m. at the school house of the above district.

Dated at Edmonton this 22nd day of May, 1895.

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